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SUBJECT: EXIT VISA REPRESENTATION: ROLAND KOFF

REF: MOSCOW 12766, STATE 047666, MOSCOW 2594

1. MRS. RACHEL KOFF, THE MOTHER OF ROLAND KOFF, TOLD DEPARTMENT OFFICER NOVEMBER 15 THAT SHE IS CONCERNED BECAUSE SHE HAS NOT HEARD ANYTHING FROM HER SON CONCERNING HIS HAVING RECEIVED EXIT PERMISSION FROM SOVIET AUTHORITIES. SHE IS PARTICULARLY WORRIED BECAUSE A BOOK WHICH SHE RECENTLY TRANSLATED AND WHICH IS QUITE CRITICAL OF THE SOVIET UNION MAY BE PUBLISHED IN DECEMBER, 1973. THE BOOK IS ENTITLED "WHITE SHIP," AND IT WAS WRITTEN BY THE KIRGHIZ AUTHOR ITMATOV.

2. DEPARTMENT OFFICER ASSURED MRS. KOFF, PER CONTENTS OF MOSCOW 12766, THAT ALL THE MEMBERS OF HER SON'S FAMILY HAVE RECEIVED EXIT PERMISSION AND WILL BE ASSISTED BY EMBASSY. CONTENTS OF MOSCOW 12766 WERE ALSO PASSED TO INTERESTED CONGRESSMEN AND SENATORS.

3. EMBASSY IS REQUESTED PROVIDE UP-DATE REPORT ON THIS CASE. KISSINGER

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